

Haplochromis desfontainii

Taxonomic Authority: (Lacepède, 1802)

Synonyms:

Astatotilapia desfontainesi (Lacepède, 1802)

Order: Perciformes

Notes on taxonomy:

Region: 1

Common Names:

Family: Cichlidae

General Information

Biome Terrestrial

Freshwater

Marine

Geographic Range of species:

It is restricted to wadis in southern Tunisia and Algeria.

Habitat and Ecology Information:

It is a small size fish (< 200 mm total length).

Conservation Measures:

None.

Threats:

No data.

Species population information:

No data.

Country Distribution

	Native - Presence Confirmed	Native - Presence Possible	Extinct	Reintroduced	Introduced	Vagrant
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Upper Level Habitat Preferences

5.9 Wetlands (inland) - Freshwater Springs and Oases

Score

1

Lower Level Habitat Preferences

Score

Major threats

Code	Description of threat
12	Unknown

Past	Present	Future
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Conservation Measures

Code	Conservation measures
1	Policy-based actions
1.2	Legislation
1.2.1	Development
1.2.1.1	International level
1.2.2	Implementation
1.2.2.1	International level
3	Research actions
3.1	Taxonomy
3.2	Population numbers and range
3.3	Biology and Ecology
3.4	Habitat status
3.5	Threats
3.8	Conservation measures
3.9	Trends/Monitoring

In place	Needed
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Utilisation of Species

Purpose/Type of Use

Subsistence

National

International

Other purpose:

Not used

Primary forms removed from the wild 100% >75% 51-75% 26-50% <25%

Other forms removed from the wild:

Source of specimens in commercial trade 100% >75% 51-75% 26-50% <25%

Other source of specimens:

Trend in wild offtake/harvest in relation to total wild population numbers over last five years:

Trend in offtake/harvest produced through domestication/cultivation over last five years:

CITES:

Red Listing

Red List Assessment: Data Deficient (DD)

Possibly Extinct

Red List Criteria:

Rationale for the Red List Assessment: No recent reliable data on abundance, trend and threats.

Current Population Trend: Unknown

Date of Assessment: 31/10/2004

Assessor(s): A.J. Crivelli

Evaluator: J. Freyhof

Notes on Red listing:

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